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**Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.**

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# US Patent and Trademark Office Response to Applicant's Consent to Third-Party Comments in Published Applications and Consent to Pilot Participation

Attorney Docket Number: 50368	First Named Inventor: BUENDIA, AXEL
Application Number: 10562008	Title of the Invention: SYSTEM FOR DESIGN AND USE OF DECISION MODELS

**This communication is in response to Applicant's Consent to Third-Party Comments in Published Applications and Consent to Pilot Participation filed on 2/18/09.**

**The request has been:**

☐ Approved and the application will be included in the Peer Reviewed Prior Art Pilot Project.

☐ Publication Date: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

☐ Expected Publication Date: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

☒ Not Approved (check all applicable boxes below):

☐ The application will not publish in time to be eligible for the pilot.

☐ The application is not classified in Technology Center 2100 (Computer Architecture: Classes 380, 700, 703, 706, 707, 708, 710, 711, 712, 714, 715, 717, 718, 719), Technology Center 2400 (Computer Networks & Cryptography and Security: Classes 380, 709, 713, 726) or Technology Center 3600 (Business Methods, Class 705).

☐ 25 applications from Applicant, Applicant's assignee (including subsidiaries), or Applicant's affiliates have already been accepted into the Pilot.

☐ A petition for Accelerated Examination was filed with this application.

☐ Applicant did not use the USPTO prepared consent form.

(<http://www.uspto.gov/web/patents/peerpriorartpilot/consent.pdf>).

☐ The Consent is unsigned or incomplete.

☐ The application contains a request for nonpublication under 37 CFR § 1.213.

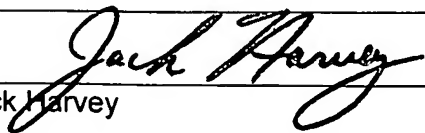
☐ There are already 400 applications in the Peer Reviewed Prior Art Pilot Project.

☒ The instant application was published more than 5 months before the filing of the Consent (the Consent must be filed during the pilot within one month from the application publication date).

☐ Examiner already started to work on the instant application and/or an Office Action has been mailed prior to filing of the Consent.

☐ No 3<sup>rd</sup> party IDS references submitted to the USPTO from the Peer-to-Patent community.

☐ The application would be approved if a timely request for early publication is received by the Office along with a new consent form with updates to address any boxes checked under the Not Approved section above.

Signature		Date: 3/23/09
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